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1. Shipping traffic in the port of Rostock has been very active during the past few days, after having slackened somewhat during the first week in November, in which period only two Soviet ships unloaded cargoes. These ships were named "SHUA" and "OMA," of about 2,200 tons each. They loaded reparations goods.

Sacks, apparently of sugar, were loaded by the following:

	- 800 tons
SPOROTA	- 800 tons
ALPHA	- 700 tons
	- 2,000 tons

2. During the second week, five Soviet ships arrived with cargoes and loaded reparations goods and sacks of sugar, as follows:

GENERAL AGRAMIAN, about 2,200 tons; loaded sacks
ROKSHA, " 2,200 " " "
AKADEMIK KARPINSKIY, of Leningrad, about 1,200 tons; loaded
unpacked boxes and boilers
SHUK, about 2,200 tons; loaded sacks of sugar, cases and machine
parts on deck, and boilers
DAUGAIA, about 1,800 tons; loaded cases and rolls of wire

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3. Other vessels in port in the past week were:

about 2,000 tons; unloaded herring casks
" 300 " ; loaded sacks
" 800 " ; unloaded oil

4. There have been heavy arrivals of cased reparations goods by rail; more than ships have been able to load. Cases amounting to several shiploads are stacked, awaiting transport.

There are also pumps and pipeline fittings, such as large parallel valves. These are unpacked for the most part.

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